| TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 32128-211698 |
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| | U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/547842 No. Assigned |

| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP03/06020 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE June 10, 2003 | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED June 15, 2002 |
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**TITLE OF INVENTION** COMPATIBILITY IMPROVEMENT ACHIEVED BY SYNDIOTACTIC POLYPROPYLENE

**APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US** Martin OTTOW

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. [X] This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

2. [ ] This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

3. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.

4. [ ] The US has been elected (Article 31).

5. [X] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))

   a. [X] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

   b. [X] has been communicated by the International Bureau. (attach is form PCT/IB/308)

   c. [ ] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).

6. [X] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).

   a. [X] is attached hereto.

   b. [ ] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

7. [X] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))

   a. [ ] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

   b. [ ] have been communicated by the International Bureau.

   c. [ ] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.

   d. [X] have not been made and will not be made.

8. [ ] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).

9. [X] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).

10. [ ] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

**Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:**

11. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

12. [X] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

13. [X] A preliminary amendment.

14. [X] An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.

15. [ ] A substitute specification.

16. [ ] A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.

17. [ ] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.

18. [ ] A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

19. [ ] A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

20. [X] Other items or information: International Search Report, Form PCT/IB/304

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**21. The following fees are submitted:**

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| [X] a) Basic national fee .................................................................$300.00 | | $ 300.00 | |
| [X] b) Examination fee .................................................................$200.00 | | $ 200.00 | |
| [X] c) Search fee ..........................................................................$500.00 | | $ 500.00 | |
| **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =** $1000.00 | | $ 1000.00 | |

[ ] Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is $250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.

| Total Sheets | Extra sheets | Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round **up** to a whole number | RATE | |
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| - 100 = | /50 = | | x $250.00 | |

Surcharge of **$130.00** for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)). $

| CLAIMS | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | | |
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| Total claims | 17 - 20 = | 0 | x 50.00 | $ | |
| Independent claims | 2 -3 = | 0 | x 200.00 | $ | |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(s) (if applicable) | | | + | $ | |
| **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =** | | | | $ | 1000.00 |

[ ] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½.  $

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| **SUBTOTAL =** | $ | 1000.00 |

Processing fee of **$130.00** for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (f)). + $

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| **TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =** | $ | 1000.00 |

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). **$40.00** per property + $ 40.00

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| **TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =** | $ | 1040.00 |

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| Amount to be refunded: | $ | |
| Amount to be charged: | **$1040.00** | |

a. [ ] A check in the amount of $ _____ to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. [X] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 22-0261 in the amount of $ 1,040.00 to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0261 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

d. [ ] Fees are to be charged to a credit card. **WARNING:** Information on this form may become public. **Credit card information should not be included on this form.** Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

**NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.**

| SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: | SIGNATURE: _Robert Kinberg_ |
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